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1. The Minister and his First Deputy control twelve Main Departments (Hauptabteilungen) and four production fields (Produktionsbereiche). The latter are supervised by the Minister's Deputies.

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4. Structure of the Ministry for Machine Construction

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- d. Material Procurement: Meisch (fau)
 - e. Marketing: Grosse (fau)
 - f. Labor
 - g. Cadre
 - h. Power
 - i. Main Safety Inspection: Buidert (fau)
 - j. Production Management: Tiefensta (fau)
 - k. Dispatcher
 - l. Control
4. Production Fields (each production chief is a Deputy Minister) with their subordinate main administrations¹.
- A. Heavy Machine Construction, headed by Helmut Wunderlich
 - (1) Equipment for Heavy Machine Construction
 - (2) Foundries
 - B. Transportation and Agricultural Machine Construction, headed by Koch (fau)
 - (1) Shipbuilding
 - (2) Agricultural Machine Construction
 - (3) Auto and Tractors
 - C. Power Machine Construction, headed by Erich Apel
 - (1) Electrical Machine Construction
 - (2) Cable and appliances
 - D. General Machine Construction, headed by Alfred Wundewilch
 - (1) Light Machine Construction
 - (2) Iron, Plate, and Metal Products.
5. Structure of the Main Administration for Light Machine Construction
- (1) Chief: Weitz (fau)
 - (2) Assistant: Ebert (fau)
 - (3) Liaison Group, Berlin, Leipzigerstrasse: Altek (fau)
 - (4) Planning: Finger (fau)
 - (5) Order: Alko (fau)
 - (6) Marketing: Sandring (fau)

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7. Production Management: Possner (fnu)
8. Power Representative (Energiebeauftragter): Michl (fnu)
9. Main Dispatcher: Komor (fnu)
10. Departments
 - a. Commercial Manager: Boettner (fnu)
 - (1) Finances: Imscher (fnu)
 - (2) Material Procurement: Weissner (fnu)
 - (3) General Administration: Sobanski (fnu)
 - b. Technical Manager: Goenen (fnu)
 - (1) Technology: Kuehne, Herbert
 - (2) Research and Development: Beyer (fnu)
 - (3) Quality Control: Gruschka (fnu)
 - (4) Investment
 - c. Labor Department: Kuehne, Kurt
 - (1) Work Norms: Tietze (fnu)
 - (2) Wage and Social Questions
 - (3) Vocational Training: Scharf (fnu)

Main Administration for Light Machine Construction - Investment

1. This Main Administration directs the activities of 71 firms and controls a total capital investment of 5,488,900 DEM (Deutschmark East)
 - a. Major projects (Hauptanlagen) approximately 3,900,000 DEM
 - b. Secondary projects (Nebenanlagen) approximately 1,600,000 DEM
2. Most Important Investments
 - a. Major Projects

- (1) Werkzeugmaschinen Stahlbach - Kallenberg - construction of a central tool factory, 2,600,000 DEM.
- (2) Elektroschmelze Tschornowitz - construction of a new furnace building, 500,000 DEM
- (3) Werkmetallwerk Emmelhorn - increasing the production of sintered metal carbides, 271,000 DEM

The remaining 500,000 DEM are divided among the other firms, for the most part to satisfy the most pressing requirements for labor safety measures.

b. Secondary Projects

- (1) Carl-Meyer-Werk Kasselberg - expansion of the factory clinic, 270,000 DEM.

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- trained. The works safety inspector has threatened to close the foundry.
6. Armaturenfabrik Horstberg. Works Director: Brueckner. About 250 employees. Program: Fittings for water installations. Terrible plumbing conditions which cannot be remedied because of lack of funds.
 7. Armaturenfabrik Bischofswalde. Works Director: Niemann. About 350 employees. Program: Small fittings, Christmas tree stands, parts for harvesters' threshers. Plumbing most unsatisfactory and funds for alterations unavailable.
 8. Armaturenfabrik Dinoldswalde. Works Director: Bodnara (fnu). About 300 employees. The employees requested a new foundry washroom. The funds (about 38,000 DM) were promised, but not approved. The old Exhaust-Station is very dangerous; alterations would cost 40,000 DM. The work safety inspection of 2 January 1954 resulted in a threat to close the factory.
 9. Armaturenfabrik Kottensleben. Works Director: Bitschkowski (fnu). About 150 employees. Program: Dairy fittings. Already closed by the works safety inspector. However, the works director continues to use the factory. No repair funds are available.
 10. Armaturenfabrik Koenigsch. About 300 employees.
 11. Armaturenfabrik Kella. Works Director: Winter (fnu). About 250 employees. Program: Pressure-relief valves, central lubrication apparatus.
 12. Armaturenfabrik Eisenberg. About 350 employees. Program: Plumbing. The works safety inspector has threatened to close the factory kitchen as unsanitary. No exhaust in the grinding shop; the workers are in danger of silicosis (pneumoconiosis). No funds for alteration are available.
 13. Armaturenfabrik Reichenbach. About 600 employees.
 14. Armaturenfabrik Rossau. Works Director: Wegner (fnu). About 500 employees. Program: Small fittings and lubrication apparatus.
 15. Armaturenfabrik Altenburg. Works Director: Wilda (fnu). About 250 employees.
 16. Werkzeugmaschinenwerk Deggau. Works Director: Pulst (fnu). About 1,000 employees. Program: Gas stoves, gas plates, gas water heaters (the latter principally for export). Difficulties in obtaining binetal for flash safety mechanisms (Zuendsicherungen) has caused market difficulties in the western nations.
 17. Werkzeugmaschinenwerk Dresden. Works Director: Meyer (fnu). About 1,000 employees. Program: Gas stoves, gas plates, coal stoves for home use, large kitchens, field kitchens. In the Koenigsbrueck branch office, the paint spraying plant was closed by the works safety inspector because there was no exhaust. The spraying can be done only outside, during good weather. No funds for alteration are available.
 18. Werkzeugmaschinenwerk Elsterberg. Works Director: Zmorr (fnu). About 600 employees. Program: Coal stoves for home use and large kitchens, coal bathing stoves.
 19. Grosskochenanlagen und Herdherz Eisenach. Works Director: Hersey (fnu). About 750 employees. Program: Cooking kettles, coal stoves for home use.
 20. Schleifscheibenfabrik Dresden-Reich. About 800 employees. Program: Grinding wheels. 143,000 DM are required here for an exhaust system. There is considerable silicosis danger. No funds for alteration are available.
 21. Schleifscheibenfabrik Rostow. Program: Grinding wheels.

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22. Feuerloschgerate-Werk Total, Apolda. Program: Fire extinguishers.
23. Feuerloschgeratewerk Goerlitz. Works Director: Thomaschewski (fnu). About 350 employees. Program: Fire fighting trucks for power spraying (Feuerlosch-fahrzeuge fuer Traktorenpritsen). Bad sanitary conditions. The employees have asked approximately 35,000 MME for a dining room, a washroom and a room for changing into work clothes. No funds are available.
24. Feuerloschgeratewerk Luckenwalde. Program: Fire extinguishers.
25. Feuerloschgeratewerk Jochstedt. Works Director: Nestler (fnu). About 200 employees. Program: Traktorenpritsen with vehicles.
26. Feuerloschgeratewerk "Minimax", Neuruppin. Program: Fire extinguishers.
27. Prueforganisation fuer Feuerloschgerate Radebenl. About 150 employees. Not a production firm. In the Bezirk office testing stations, installations are lacking for the exhaust of tetra vapors. No funds are available.
28. Vorrichtungsbau Hohenstein. About 150 employees. Program: Production instal-lations.
29. Presswerkzeugbau Gross Duhrau. Works Director: Tannert (fnu). About 150 employees. Program: Press molds for plastic compounds. Food here is cooked in a garage. There is no dining room. The employees have demanded suitable facilities, but no funds are available.
30. Presswerkzeugbau Trinita. Works Director: Martin (fnu). About 150 employees. Program: Press molds for plastic compounds.
31. Formenbau Schwarzenberg. About 200 employees. Program: Press dies, chiefly for motor vehicle bodies.
32. Maschinenbau Jenaendorf. Works Director: Scheer (fnu). About 150 employees. Program: Brickworks machines (Ziegelm-Maschinen), wooden floor polishers, grinding and drilling machines.
33. Elime-Maschinenfabrik Ellersfeld. About 230 employees. Program: Woodworking machines. Shocking conditions in the dining, wash, and clothes-changing rooms. Work begun in early 1953 to improve conditions was never completed. Closing of the community rooms by the works safety inspector has been threatened. No funds for improvement available.
34. Glasschneidmaschinenbau Zittau. Works Director: Kluttig (fnu). About 250 employees. Program: Foundry machines.
35. Herkules Gussgatterbau Ang.
36. Schuhmaschinenbau Arnstadt. About 130 employees. Program: Machines for the shoe industry.
37. Schuh- und Sattler-Maschinen Leinsig. Program: Machines for the leather industry.
38. Mihone Leinsig. Program: Woodworking machines.
39. Standard Werkzeugmaschinenbau.
40. Knopfabrik Schmolln. Works Director: Beer (fnu). About 200 employees. Program: Button and woodworking machines. Exhaust systems are lacking in the grinding shop, the paint-spraying section and on some machines. The city attorney and works safety inspector have threatened to close some parts of the factory. No funds (13,000 MME are required) are available.

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41. Glasmaschinenbau Erital. Works Director: Hostler (fnu). About 150 employees. Program: Machines for the glass industry.
42. Ankerwerk Schmalkalden. Works Director: Hohnemann (fnu). About 200 employees. Program: Wood and metal drills, cutting tools, cutter heads for Wismut AG.
43. Werkzeug-Union Steinbach-Mellenberg. Works Director: Bamberger (fnu). About 1,400 employees. Program: Iron tools, surgical instruments, motor chain saws. The entire drop forge capacity is said to be concentrated here. A new drop forge was built in 1951-1953. The firm consists of 14 smaller production sites where working conditions are terrible. A new central factory is planned, for which, in 1954, 2.6 million M are allocated. In order to complete the first section, for approximately 150 employees, 1 million M is still lacking. The employees are very anti-regime. 500,000 M were promised by State Secretary Schneider (fnu) in 1953 for construction of community rooms in the old factories but were not delivered.
44. Werkzeugfabrik Suhl. Works Director: Hartmann (fnu). About 130 employees. Program: Schneidwerkzeuge, surgical instruments.
45. Werkzeugfabrik Leunissen. About 2,000 employees.
46. August Babel-Werk Salla-Mehlis. Works Director: Veigt. About 500 employees. Program: Drills, boring sockets, pistol parts.
47. Werkzeugfabrik Salla-Mehlis. About 300 employees. Program: Milling cutters, broaches, boring sockets, lathe chucks.
48. Werkzeugfabrik Badelund. Works Director: Mueller (fnu). About 400 employees. Program: Various wrenches of all kinds, industrial tools, garden tools.
49. Präzisionswerkzeugfabrik Heimbach. About 700 employees. Program: Cutter heads for Wismut AG. A nursery was begun in 1951 but has not been completed due to the lack of funds.
50. Werkzeugfabrik Altenburg. About 400 employees.
51. Werkzeugfabrik Auerbach
52. Vereinigte Werkzeugfabriken Geringwalde. About 250 employees.
53. Landmaschinenfabrik Gersdorf. Works Director: Bornhard (fnu). About 150 employees. Program: Lathes, diestock dies, thread mills. Miserable conditions prompted the employees to fight for years for the reconstruction of a community building. No funds available.
54. Luft- und Källetechnik Querfurt. Works Director: Klement (fnu). About 200 employees. Program: Air conditioning plants, ventilating systems, largely for export.
55. Luft- und Källetechnik, Ebsdorfen. Works Director: Merbitz (fnu). About 200 employees. Program: Air conditioning plants, ventilating systems, largely for export.
56. Industrietechnische Anlagen Berlin. Because of dangerous working conditions, closing of the plant was threatened on March 15 and April 1, 1954.
57. Universal-Werk Schmalkalden. About 700 employees. Program: Files, surgical instruments, machine measuring devices, eating utensils (mostly for export), kitchen utensils. Some shops lack sufficient heating. The employees, in winter, may have to work in temperatures of 3 degrees C. The 75,000 M necessary for repair are unavailable.
58. Gussalon Berlin

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59. Motorkollegatsionnaya, Leningrad. About 150 employees. Program: Motor installations for the forest industry.
60. Zentrifugal Redaktor. Works Director: Dr. V. V. V. (Sov). About 150 employees. Program: Centrifugal governors for motors, only supplier to the motor vehicle industry. The employees have fought for a long time for about 10,000 rubles for improvement of the social facilities, but no funds have been provided.
61. Montazhnaya Fabrik. Works Director: Schirmer (Sov). About 1,000 employees. Program: Testing plant construction (mostly on government orders).
62. Montazhnaya Fabrik. Works Director: Schirmer (Sov). About 1,000 employees. Program: Testing plant construction, auxiliary installations (mostly on government orders).
63. Fabrikfabrik Fabrik. Works Director: Shelt (Sov). About 100 employees. Program: Pipes.
64. Fabrikfabrik Fabrik. Works Director: Lonschke (Sov). About 150 employees. Program: Pipes.
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